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The somewhat important suit of Charles C. Parsons against the Sevier Mining & Milling company, which was up for hearing some time ago, was decided by Judge Hiles yesterday, the decree being that Superintendent Lammersdorf's salary for 1937 and five months in 1938 has been illegally drawn, for the reason that the votes of Lammersdorf and wife as directors were necessary to carry the resolution providing for such salary, and, therefore, fraud in law.

The suit was instituted by Parsons, who claimed he represented 115,432 shares of stock out of the 200,000 shares comprising the total stock in the company, and alleging that he had not been given representation on the board of directors that Lammersdorf controlled most of the stock. He set in his charge that Lammersdorf, by the aid of his wife and other directors, who held just enough stock to entitle them to serve as such directors, caused himself large salaries and otherwise run things without regard to the interest of other parties. It was further alleged that Thomas Tronzo, A. E. Hyde, P. E. McKinnon and Mrs. Lammersdorf did not hold sufficient stock to qualify them for the positions of directors.

Parsons asked that Mr. Lammersdorf be compelled to give an accounting of the salary received, \$6,000, from Jan. 1, 1937, to June 1, 1938, and that the assessment of 2 cents a share, levied on March 5, 1938, be set aside.

In his opinion, Judge Hiles held that the action of the board of directors in voting Lammersdorf a salary of \$6,000 per year was not within the power of the corporation, and that the matter could not be accomplished without his own vote and that of his wife. For the same reason the assessment, which was levied for the purpose of raising money to pay the salary, was void.

With regard to the stockholders' meeting of June 14, 1938, when Lammersdorf was made general manager, the court held that any acts taken then could not validate former illegal acts by the board, and that, therefore, Lammersdorf had no right to his salary prior to that time.

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Martisha Cahoon yesterday filed an action for a divorce against her husband, William M. Cahoon, a carpenter and bridge-builder, assigning failure to support and cruelty as the cause for her act.

The complaint sets out the parties were married in March, 1932, and that there have been six children as issue, the youngest of whom is 9 years of age. She complains that for a year the wife complains she has received absolutely nothing towards the maintenance of herself and children, and for more than five years, she says, her husband has acted in a cruel and inhuman manner. One of her boys, Ashel, is an invalid, and during the past two weeks has been at the point of death. She says the father, who came and stayed only a few moments, and then went away without leaving any money with which to buy medicine. Although admitting he had a bank account, she says she has not seen it for two years ago she was compelled to sell her household effects to get money enough to take the invalid boy to Mexico for his health. She stayed away a year, and upon returning the husband, she alleges, refused to assist her in furnishing a house for housekeeping, his only contributions finally being a table and two chairs.

It is further alleged that Cahoon is receiving \$3 per month; that there is property in the names of both parties valued at about \$10,000, which she asks the court to restrain him from alienating. She also asks for the custody of all the minor children, temporary alimony pending the settlement of the suit, and such permanent relief as the court may see fit to allow.

JUDGMENT FOR PLAINTIFF

In Klopstein vs. Hays, Involving Jupiter Mine.

The case of Michael Klopstein vs. Sam Hays, involving title to the Jupiter mining claim in Bingham, was decided by Judge Hiles yesterday in favor of the plaintiff. The hearing was held some three weeks ago. Klopstein, claiming to own the claim, had defended that he was the owner of the Jupiter claim, subsequently located and surveyed so as to include a greater portion of the Jupiter claim, his allegations being that plaintiff had no right to the original location, and therefore not entitled to receive patent. The court found otherwise.

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In Case of Burke vs. Henry M. Ryan.

Judge Hart of the Second Judicial district, who was down here about two weeks ago and heard arguments on the motion for a new trial in the case of Peter Burke vs. Henry M. Ryan, yesterday transmitted his decision to the district court here, granting defendant a new trial.

The court says that in view of the conflicting nature of the testimony and the further discovery of new evidence, a new trial of the case is justified. The new trial was granted on the motion of the defendant, against whom a judgment was entered for \$3,000.

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